Change to National N&O Posting Availability

Effective May 17, 2010, any withdrawal list posted on the <u>National Needs and Offers (N&O)</u> <u>Web site</u> will be removed after 30 days. This is a change from the previous requirement of having the lists available for 90 days. GPO recommends that libraries retain a copy of their lists for their record.

The National N&O list is a tool used by depository librarians for collection development purposes. Using the National N&O service, libraries seeking to withdraw publications from their collections may post offers lists for others to see, and libraries seeking publications missing from their depository collections may post needs lists which can be viewed by other depositories. Selective depositories should work through their Regionals to ensure that their use of the tool is consistent with their state plan.